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In re Application of
Bykov, et al.
Application No. 10/505,407
Filed: August 23, 2004
Attorney Docket No. 1505-1052

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: **DECISION ON PETITION**
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This is a decision on the petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 12, 2009, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned September 6, 2008 for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action, mailed June 5, 2008. The non-final Office action set a three month shortened statutory period of time for reply. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Notice of Abandonment was mailed December 22, 2008.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply to the non-final Office action, (2) the required petition fee, and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at 571-272-3205.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 1614 for further processing.

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